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Plymouth, Ind., December 5, 1901.

LOCAL NEWS

J. A. Ball went to Culver on business.

Mrs. John Smith went on a two weeks' visit to Argos.

Miss Minnie Klapp went to Hibbard for a few days' visit.

Mrs. Julia Antwerp has gone on a two weeks' visit in South Bend.

Mrs. Gilbert Gross went to Bourbon for a few days visit with relatives.

Mrs. O. W. Kuntz went to South Bend on a week's visit with friends.

Mrs. James Gilliland and children went to South Bend to visit until after Christmas.

Mrs. John Springer went to Logansport to visit her daughter, Mrs. Clem Sponger of that city.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. O'Keefe and daughter Esther went to Chicago for a week's visit with relatives.

Miss Hilda Hangan went to South Bend to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hangan of that city.

Plans have been concluded for an electric railway from South Bend to Chicago in as direct a line as possible by way of Michigan City.

One of Doctor Dowie's elders of the Christian Catholic church will hold meetings over Vinnedge's Dry Goods Store, Dec. 5, afternoon at 2:30 and evening. Three services on the Lord's day.

An important change in the running of trains on the Pennsylvania lines takes effect tonight, when the Chicago Ft. Wayne division will be cut at this point, thus subdividing the division.

Miss Chloe Kuhn, of near North Webster, was drowned in a creek into which her escort drove while they were riding in a buggy. The bridge had been removed and no warning signal was given.

The U. S. supreme court in deciding the "fourteen diamond rings" case holds that the Philippines are U. S. territory, thus sustaining the position of McKinley. The judges were not unanimous in the opinion.

Trustees Jackman of Center and Hall of West and County Treasurer Vink went to Bourbon Tuesday to attend the funeral of George Stockman, trustee of Bourbon township, who died Sunday afternoon after a long illness of Bright's disease.

Arrangements are being made for the Culver cadets to repeat in this city in the near future their Thanksgiving minstrel entertainment (that proved a great hit). If they come they will bring their cadet band and give a military parade on the streets.

Eighty-nine teachers of Elkhart county have paid \$10.50 each for the "Teachers' Library Union" and have obligated themselves to pay more. They are now casting about for some means of redeeming themselves from what they regard as their folly. They seem to think they have bought a gold brick.

Locomotives of the new class E-2 type on the Pennsylvania road have been doing some fast running between Ft. Wayne and Chicago, 75 miles an hour being frequently attained. Last week one of them ran into Ft. Wayne from Arcola at a 105-mile clip. They can easily cover the distance from Plymouth to South Chicago in an hour.

Congress opened with the same formalities as have hitherto prevailed and under unchanged leadership. The republicans agreed in caucus, the democrats wrangled pitifully. Henderson was re-elected speaker, the Reed rules

FINE FALL FOR FARMERS

Conditions in Laporte County Duplicated Through Northern Indiana.

The farmers of Laporte county have had an excellent fall for getting their work done ready for winter, says the Michigan City Dispatch. The weather could hardly have been more continuously beautiful. A little more rain would perhaps have been a little better for the growing wheat, but the reports all say it is looking well and there is no complaint of fly, which has not been the case before for several years. Husking corn is generally completed, but there are always a few who are negligent and anticipate the demands of the mice and rats for winter food. The corn crop is rather light in quantity, but the quality is good and the yield is much better than it was thought possible during the protracted drought of last summer. Marsh corn is excellent, and now that the Kankakee marshes are being cultivated so generally this makes an important addition to the crop of the county. Even potatoes have turned out greatly better than expected, and probably enough have been grown in the county to nearly if not quite supply the home demand. All considered it has not been a bad year for the farmers despite the unfavorable predictions of last summer.

Marshall County Poultry Show.

The first annual exhibition of the Marshall county Poultry Association will be held in Plymouth, Dec. 24 to 28, 1901, in the corner room of the Hoham Block on the corner of Laporte and Center streets.

The object of this exhibition is to create an interest for better poultry and more of it in this county. Every farmer today in Marshall county realizes how much more profitable it is to him to raise thorough bred cattle, hogs, sheep and horses, and would not for a moment entertain the idea of having none but the best. Compare the different kinds of live stock today with that of twenty-five or more years ago. It requires no more food and care to take care of the best than it does the poorest. It is the same in poultry as in other classes of stock. It requires no more feed or expense to feed and care for a nice flock of pure-bred poultry than of the dingy hill fowl of half a century ago. But from the financial standpoint the story is entirely different, and from one hundred to two hundred per cent in favor of the pure bred fowl. We earnestly solicit the help of all admirers and breeders of pure-bred poultry to lend us their assistance in this our first exhibition. If you have any poultry of any variety we will be glad to have you exhibit with us. We have employed Mr. D. A. Stoner of Rensselaer, Ind., to judge the show. He has the reputation of being one of the best poultry judges in this country, so whatever you have bring it along. The premium list is now ready and will be mailed to anyone upon application. In it you will find all the rules and regulations of the show, the cash and special premiums offered.

Again in behalf of the Marshall County Poultry Association, we earnestly solicit your help and patronage. All communication should be addressed to F. B. CAREY, Secretary.

We are sincerely yours,

MARSHALL CO. POULTRY ASS'N.

The Revival Meetings.

A marked increase in enthusiasm and earnestness is characterizing the Union Gospel meetings. It is indeed a rare treat to have the privilege of listening to such a masterful discourse as given Tuesday evening by Rev. Ostrom. His powerful arguments, his logical reasoning, his vivid illustrations, and his eloquence appealed both to the heart and intellect of the audience.

Reading from his text, "And thou shalt call his name Jesus, for he shall save his people from their sins," the evangelist began his sermon with the statement, a Christian bible always represents man as a great creature except when compared with God. Man is too great to be annihilated, his capacity for good is unbounded, his capacity for evil is terrific. But though man is a great sinner, Jesus a great Savior, offers through himself, a great salvation.

The afternoon talk was upon Prayer, a most helpful meeting. The speaker brought out so emphatically the beautiful thought that prayer is not the fulfilling of an obligation to God, but a privilege, it should not be considered as compulsory, but as a delight. The highest honor that can be paid a man is to be granted the privilege of making an intercessory prayer. The spirit in which such a prayer should be asked, should be the spirit of sacrifice, the spirit that prompted Christ to give his life for us. There are three impediments to proficient prayer, absence of the consciousness of God, regarding the iniquity in our hearts and small expectancy. Recognize the authority of God, have the evil removed from your life, expect great things of God and your prayers shall be answered.

Pension Board Resigns.

The three members of the Marshall county board of pension examiners, consisting of Dr. Knott, of this city, Dr. Johnson, of Bourbon, and Dr. Rea, of Culver, have tendered their resignations to be effective after Nov. 27 and no further examinations will be held until a new board is appointed. The cause for this unexpected action is not stated by either of the members of the board, but it is understood from another source that the department has been unnecessarily rigid in passing on some of their examinations and they feel that injustice has been done to applicants for pensions in such cases. It is not yet known who will constitute the succeeding board.

"Indiana at Chickamauga."

The Acts of 1901 provide for the publication of 3,000 volumes of "Indiana at Chickamauga," a report of the Indiana commissioners of the Chickamauga National Military Park commission, and for the free distribution to each soldier of an Indiana regiment who was present on the battlefield of Chickamauga, and to the representatives of those dead. That soldiers of Marshall and Kosciusko counties might receive books before the number was exhausted Senator Parks has given the distribution his personal attention, and has found 150 persons in the two counties entitled to volumes.

Marshall County Sculptor.

Edward Geiselman, of South Bend, has completed a statue of William McKinley that is pronounced by all who have seen it to be a remarkable likeness and to possess high artistic merit. The young artist is a son of Josiah Geiselman, of Culver, and was born on a farm near Bremen. He has from his early youth displayed great aptitude as a sculptor and is meeting with much success in the pursuit of his tastes in that direction. Mr. Geiselman bids fair to make his mark in the world of art.

First December Nuptials.

Martin Mosher and Miss Mattie Morris were married Monday at the residence of J. W. Jones, on East South street, by J. A. Molter, Justice of the Peace. The couple left at noon for South Bend where they will make their future home.

RAH! RAH! P. H. S.

Plymouth's First Football Game a Victory Over Warsaw.

The Plymouth high school football team went over to Warsaw Friday and walloped the Warsaw high school team soundly. It was the first game for both teams and each was confident of victory. The score was 16 to 0.

The Plymouth line-up was as follows:

Clifford Burket, captain, left half, Willard Fields, right half, Ford Reynolds, fullback, Lloyd Morris, center, Ray Logan, quarter back, John Carbin, right guard, Wack Harris, right tackle, Arthur Pomeroy, right end, George Mead, left guard, Frank Leonard, left tackle, Ralph Leonard, left end.

Score: first half, 5 to 0; second half 11 to 0; total 16 to 0.

The team was accompanied on the trip by Lott Losey, manager; W. E. Jordan, coach, who acted as referee, and Frank Southworth and Laurence Carvey, rooters.

The game was swift from the first kick-off and was marked by several brilliant plays on both sides. Plymouth's scores were won by superior weight and good work, the latter being the result of Jordan's effective training in practice, the team work and strategy being especially fine. There was no jangling during the game and at no time was the referee's life in danger. The Warsaw boys were perfect gentlemen and took their defeat gracefully and with great good nature.

The Plymouth players cannot say enough of the splendid treatment they received at the hands of their Warsaw brethren and are already planning and arranging for the return game to be played in the near future. When the visitors arrived at Warsaw they were taken in hand and entertained royally at the athletic rooms and the White House until their departure in the evening. A large crowd witnessed the game and was judicially impartial in its very liberal applause.

Union Gospel Meetings.

On Monday afternoon, Rev. Ostrom spoke to an intensely interested audience, upon prayer, basing his remarks upon the first thirteen verses of the eleventh chapter of St. Luke's gospel. He said that no substitute has ever been found for prayer, and that it is essential to a Christian life. He described various kinds of prayers and said the prayer was often a religious gambling.

The evening addresses was an amplification of Matthew 16-24. Mr. Ostrom showed that the Christian must have self sacrifice, one being that of Mary Reid, who is devoting her life to the lepers in the Himalaya mountains.

Tuesday evening Rev. Ostrom will deliver an address upon the subject, "Liberal Religions."

Meeting will be held each afternoon of this week at 3 o'clock, except Saturday, at the Presbyterian church and every evening at 7:30 at the Methodist church.

The solo work of Mr. Hillis as well as his direction of the choir music adds greatly to the success of the services.

Home Prayer Meetings.

A series of cottage prayer meetings will be held this Thursday morning throughout the city. The following committee of ladies is arranging for them:

1. South east: Mrs. Boss, Mrs. Peterson, Miss Southworth, Miss Gail North, Miss Stella Chase.

2. North east: Mrs. Short, Mrs. Burwell, Mrs. R. Hume, Miss Angie Houghton, Mrs. Dishier, Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Parks, Miss Eva Munn, Mrs. Wm. Sult, Mrs. Wm. Zehner.

3. North west: Mrs. Fertig, Miss Viets, Mrs. Nihart, Mrs. J. A. Yockey, Mrs. Ringenberg, Mrs. Daubenspeck, Mrs. Shambaugh, Mrs. Moore, Mrs. Dr. Martin, Mrs. Ellis, Mrs. Garrett, Miss McDannel, Mrs. Thornberry, Mrs. Wilcox.

4. South west: Mrs. Easterday, Mrs. Geo. Love, Mrs. Maxey, Miss Hallock, Mrs. Cheney, Mrs. Phillips, Mrs. Dickinson, Mrs. W. T. Leonard, Miss Eva Smith, Mrs. Giller, Mrs. Hunt.

St. Boniface Society.

The Catholic benevolent order of St. Boniface of Plymouth held an important meeting Monday evening at St. Joseph's hall. Officers were elected and a new constitution and by-laws were adopted. The society, which was organized in 1869, has heretofore conducted its business and kept its records in the German language but by the action taken at this meeting the English language will henceforth be used. The new officers are as follows:

G. Carabin, president; A. Molter, vice president; W. G. Hendricks, 1st secretary; J. Bagley, 2nd secretary; A. Wade, German Record Keeper; A. Ball, treasurer; Ed Bergman, marshal; Peter Miller, Color Bearer; Peter Hendricks, assistant Banner Carrier; R. Keller, trustee.

SHORT COURSE IN

AGRICULTURE.

DEAR TRIBUNE:

The Editor of the Tribune has been kind enough to suggest that the writer might wish to keep in touch with his home county, by writing some words concerning the Short Course in Agriculture.

Most of the readers of the Tribune may be aware that there are three courses in agriculture at our State School of Technology; one, of four years duration, leading to the degree Bachelor of Science in Agriculture, one of two years, and one of eleven weeks. These courses of training, differ, not only in duration, but they differ in purpose, and in efficiency. The popular conception of a four years' course in agriculture is somewhat distorted, at least it used to be, even under the enlightenment of Marshall county civilization. It still remains a "last, long lingering" hope of the writer, that he may grow to be man enough to return to old Marshall County and spell out the true meaning of a four years' course in agriculture. He is not man enough to do it yet.

But the Editor asked for information, not about the long course, but about the benefits of the winter term. The only objection to be raised against the short course is that it is not long. It is impossible to arrange it so that it may give a full rounded education. The writer believes that occasionally, in this regard, too much is expected of eleven weeks of training. But the fact remains, that eleven weeks of time properly spent, may serve as an eye opener, as to the possibilities of farm life.

The Winter School of Agriculture, is arranged for men and women, who would be benefitted by some college training, but who cannot spend a term or years in preparation. The schedule of studies is almost entirely "practical," and aims at teaching the most improved methods of husbandry. It is a rare opportunity for practical farmers to make their business more pleasing and profitable—in this lies its mission, and its efficiency is seldom disputed.

Tillers of the soil, learn to till the soil better than they had known. They learn something about the composition and properties of the rock beneath their feet, and the wave by which it feeds plants, and how it is helped by proper kinds of fertilizers. They learn what kind of fertilizers to use and when to use them.

Raisers of live stock, find out new things about animal form, and how to intensify the most profitable points. They study how and what to feed, so that for instance when they hear the word bean, it suggests proteid and milk fall, and corn suggests carbohydrate and lard. As thorough a training as possible is also given in veterinary science.

The shop work in both wood and iron is calculated to make the farmer more adept in the use of tools, so that he may do work for himself, or superintend the work of others with greater intelligence.

The instruction in dairying gives a satisfactory working knowledge of the industry. Ample opportunity is given to students, for actual dairy practice in the handling of milk from the pail to the butter print. A considerable study is made of testing milk, and of the changes it undergoes in souring or developing bad tastes or off colors or what not.

A special lecturer is provided in rural law, who gives attention to highways, ditches, stock laws and trespassing. Opportunity is given the students to ask questions upon any matter relative to the subject.

The short course has secured the services of Miss Laura G. Day, as instructor in domestic science. Miss Day can tell the girls of Indiana, some things that have not been dreamed of in their philosophy. A similar opportunity is not given elsewhere in our state, and it is one which girls of city and country cannot afford to disregard.

A little time is devoted to Art, and the lectures in botany by Prof. Stanley Coulter, and the English work, under Prof. Emma Mont McKee are broadening influences indeed.

The writer believes that the most valuable part of the course are the special lectures, by farmers of recognized standing. These men know business methods of farming better than anyone else, because they keep in touch with them on their farms.

It is impossible to enumerate more opportunities presented by the writer's course in agriculture, of which those above are only examples. This field of instruction is a growing one, and one which is destined to effect some radical educational change. Purdue University with its enlarged agricultural equipment proposes to be equal to the emergency. The winter term begins Jan. 7.

The undersigned will gladly answer any specific questions, so far as he is able, and catalogues may be had by addressing Purdue University, Lafayette Indiana.

Kindest wishes to Marshall Co. ALBERT N. HUME, Asst. in Agriculture.

When using baking powder it is always economy to buy the Royal. Royal makes the finest, most wholesome and delicious food.

BEVERIDGE OUTRIDES ROOSEVELT

Anticipated Ruffling of Senatorial Dignity Fails to Materialize.

While Senator Beveridge of Indiana was making his duty call on the president a few days ago he happened to mention that while in the Philippines he had ridden over a good part of the island of Luzon on horseback.

"Good horses over there?" asked Mr. Roosevelt.

The Indiana statesman shook his head. He added that he was simply famishing for a good gallop at that very moment.

"Just the man I am looking for," declared the president in his impetuous way. "I want some one to ride with me today. We'll go just as soon as I get rid of these people."

Senator Beveridge prides himself on being a pretty fair athlete for a man of his size and he accepted the proposition. At 4 o'clock he was

waiting for the president to make his appearance. The senator was mounted on a splendid saddle horse. He had on the same clothes and high silk hat that he had worn in the president's office. Mr. Roosevelt had taken off his statesman's togs and was attired in a business suit with the soft felt hat which he wears when riding.

"There'll be some badly jostled up senatorial dignity when they come back," remarked the detective who follows President Roosevelt on his outings as the president and the senator started off.

The ride was over the river into Virginia. An hour and a half was spent in the saddle and when the two horsemen returned to Washington their mounts were covered with sweat. President Roosevelt's hat was pulled down well over his ears, but Senator Beveridge's silk tie was as smooth and sat as jauntily on his head as when the start was made. The president had let out a little on the country roads, but he did not even ruffle the senatorial dignity.

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- 5th Prize—Philip Working.
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- 7th Prize—Oliver Yates.
- 8th Prize—A. C. Roberts.
- 9th Prize—Jackson Glass.
- 10th Prize—Wm. Henry Cavin.

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